

CLARESHOLM
and DISTRICT

Soldier of Fortune Tells of Mexican War

Major School Was With General

of Eugene. Ore.—Direct from the heart of Mexico where he hob-nobbed with Huerta, with Porcho Villa, the rebel leader, and with the first hand, Gustavo H. Scott, squadron sergeant major of the Twenty-third Alabeta rangers of Canada, arrived in trip which he is purporting from low California and as far north as Canada where he must arrive June 1 at the latest.

Major Scott, the hero of his trip, Major Scott has been in active service for 20 years, is an ex-jockey in the United States army, and in the United States army, was war correspondent in the revolution of 1913 and 1914, besides being an honorary member of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Major Scott was interviewed after his lecture at the Eugene high school yesterday as he lay abed, surrounded by a throng of admirers, and with numerous looking-revolvers, packed-edge swords, an abundance of shield-bags and saddles and uniforms, and a collection of which he has picked up here and there in his tramp through the world as a true "soldier of fortune."

"See that stillto?" he queried, picking up a keen-edged dirk, which he had withdrawn from its scabbard. "That saved my life one night, in a dark Mexican side street. This colts, and he picked a bulky weapon from the floor. 'I carried with me when fighting with General Victoriano Huerta, during the time of President Madero.'" On that campaign the federal army was engaged with Zapata, the southern rebel, who with his army of 18,000 soldiers, according to Major School, "holds the balance of power in Mexico." His combination with either the army of Huerta or Villa would now spell ruin to the smaller side, stated the major.

Interested in Mixed Farming

Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of Agriculture for Alberta, will be from Montreal on June 10, on a three-months' tour through England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Denmark and Sweden to study methods of diversified farming and stock raising employed in those countries. It is announced today that a provincial college of agriculture will be established next year. Edmonton probably will be the seat of the new institution.

Mr. Marshall, who has been in the department since 1905, has three agricultural schools and a number of demonstration farms in operation in various parts of the province, and it is Mr. Marshall's ambition to give boy and girl students an opportunity to earn diplomas. He is an enthusiastic advocate of mixed farming and has demonstrated in actual practice that it brings larger returns than any other form of agriculture.

Lure of Poultry Keeping

The care of fowls and the raising of a healthy, efficient broodstock of fowls gives one a chance to get back to the land and to find profit and enjoyment therefrom. It offers a variety of interesting features not usually found in ordinary farming. There is always something good to think about in the care of the fowls. There are many branches of poultry work are such that they may be engaged in by those who are not strong and robust and who often regain their health by so doing. The best inducement to enter poultry keeping as a business is that it may be started with a very small way with a very limited capital and gradually enlarged until it provides a good livelihood. We shall not attempt to deny that there are many failures, but always mention that these 11 successes are on account of negligence and care of thousands of one part of the poultry keepers rather than of any fault of the industry.

Course for Cadet Instructors

Arrangements are being made for a course of instruction at Calgary for school teachers who desire to qualify as Cadet Instructors. The course will begin about July 1st and will occupy about six weeks. The number of applicants accepted will be limited to fifty male teachers.

Transportation to and from Calgary will be provided for all accepted candidates and during the course an allowance of \$1.00 per day in addition to \$1.00 per day for subsistence will be made by the Department of Militia and Defence.

Teachers who have not already taken the course and who desire to do so should make application at once to the District Officer Commanding Military District No. 13 Calgary Alberta.

Schedule of Oil-Belt League

	NANTON A1	STAVELY A2	CLAREHOLM A3	GRANTON A4
NANTON		June 16 July 3 July 19	June 9 June 30 August 4	June 5 June 23 July 21
STAVELY	June 2 June 18 July 24		June 23 July 10 July 21	June 12 June 28 July 7
CLAREHOLM	June 12 July 7 July 31	June 5 June 26 July 27		June 17 July 14 July 25
GRANTON	June 26 July 10 July 17	June 9 June 30 August 4	June 2 June 14 July 24	

SPORTS COLUMN



Moffatt had fish glue in his mind which helped on first base.



The umpire when questioned wished he had read the rules more carefully.



Hutton stopped everything that came
his way.



Lebeau threw wild several times hitting the batters instead of the bat.

Granum Walloned - Claresholm

At the first game played in the Oil Belt League the Grannum boys visited Claresholm and gave them a terrible trouncing on their own grounds. The weather was perfect which not only gave the boys a good chance but also brought a large crowd to the game, the gate receipts being 25 dollars.

Twenty autos were on the grounds. The game started at 3:30 and played 9 innings, the score being (only) 21 to 8 for Grannum. The visiting team brought a good bunch of rooters which he ped them considerably. The umpire Pocock did the best he knew how but many hun-

